GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
LABOUR
LOK SABHA

STARRED QUESTION NO:241
ANSWERED ON:09.08.2000
DEFAULTING UNITS
ALE NARENDRA

Will the Minister of LABOUR be pleased to state:

(a) the number of defaulting units/establishments who have not deposited the amount of Employers` share in the Provident Fund during each of the last three years, till date, State-wise;

(b) the details of the defaulters and amount outstanding against each of them; and

(c) the action taken against the defaulters?

Answer

MINISTER OF LABOUR (DR. SATYANARAYAN JATIYA)

(a) to (c): A statement is laid on the table of the House.

STATEMENTREFERREDTO IN REPLYTO LOK SABHA STARREDQUESTION NO241 FOR9.8.2000 REGARDING DEFAULTING UNITS/ESTABLISHMENTS.

(a) to (c): As on 31.3.2000, there were 21698 defaulting establishments which have failed to deposit PF dues including employer`s share with the EPF authorities.The details of such defaulters during each of the last three years state-wise and the amount of EPF dues involved is annexed. As the number of the EPF defaultersis large, it is difficult to furnish individual details. Necessary legal and penal action as provided under section 7A, 8, 8B, 14 and 14B of the EPF & MP Act, 1952 and wherever necessary, also under section 406/409 of the IPC is already being taken to recover the EPF dues outstanding against the defaulting establishments.